

## **ABSTRACT**

A loading apparatus for a vehicle, with loading floor provisioned in loading area of the vehicle, with a first set of elements for the vertical adjustment of loading floor within loading area, with a second set of elements for the horizontal movement of loading floor, specifically for extending and retracting loading floor out of and into loading area, and with drive elements for driving elements the first set of elements for the vertical adjustment of loading floor, wherein the second set of elements also serve to drive the first set of elements for the horizontal movement of loading floor.